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**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

IN RE APPLICATION OF: BANSAL AND COLEMAN  
APPLICATION NO.: Not Yet Assigned  
FILED: HEREWITH  
FOR: **OPTICAL SWITCHING USING LIGHT BULLETS**

EXAMINER: NOT YET ASSIGNED  
ART UNIT: NOT YET ASSIGNED  
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**Transmittal of Utility Patent Application  
for Filing Under 37 CFR §1.53(b)**

**Mail Stop Patent Application  
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Sir: Transmitted herewith for filing is a patent application by inventors: Jayant Bansal and Brian Coleman, and entitled:

**Optical Switching Using Light Bullets**

1. Enclosed are:

- ☒ This Transmittal letter
- ☒ One stamped, self-addressed postcard for PTO datestamp
- ☒ Certificate of Express Mail
- ☒ One utility patent application containing text pages 1-32 and
  - ☒ 7 Sheets of drawings
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2. U.S. Priority

This application claims the benefit of U.S. Provisional Patent Application No. 60/464,593 filed on April 21, 2003, entitled, "Optical Switching Using Light Bullets," by Jayant Bansal and Brian Coleman, and which is hereby incorporated by reference in its entirety.

3. Fees

- ☒ **\*Filing fee to be submitted in response to anticipated receipt of Notice to File Missing Parts of Application. DO NOT CHARGE DEPOSIT ACCOUNT.**

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